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INFORMATION ABOUT AGRICULTURAL SUBJECTS FROM RELIABLE SOURCES

The general range of potato prices this season was from one-third to two-thirds that of the corresponding time last season, says the United States Department of Agriculture.

Meadow fescue or English bluegrass is produced in eastern Kansas and western Missouri. Most of it is exported to European countries, chiefly Germany, says the United States Department of Agriculture.

Nearly 3,700,000 gallons of maple syrup were produced last spring in the 13 important producing states, the largest in four years, and 53 per cent more than in 1921, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

Reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture indicate that 2,215,000 farmers, or an average of about 1,100 per county, adopted methods introduced by the county extension agent in handling their live stock or crops in 1921.

Selected seed corn was planted on 1,600,000 additional acres in 1921 through the influence of demonstrations by county extension workers, according to the United States Department of Agriculture, and 160,000 farmers selected seed corn for the next year's use.

The reduction of grison clover seed in the United States has never equalled the planting requirements in this country and considerable quantities are imported each year from France and Germany, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

A community club of farm women in Cherokee County, Kans., according to statements to the United States Department of Agriculture, reports 2,065 healthy chicks from hatches totaling 2,468, as a result of following the methods of sanitation and feeding demonstrated by the county extension agent.

By following methods of management demonstrated by the extension agent the number of cows producing 300 pounds of butter a year was increased from 9 in the first year to 41 in the second of the six dairy herds in the Clark County (Ind.) Cow-Testing Association, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture.

In the spring of 1921 seven farmers in a Georgia county were induced by the county extension agent to make a trial cooperative shipment of 20 pounds of surplus cream. In June, 1922, fourteen months later, according to a report made to the United States Department of Agriculture, this new farm industry had grown to the extent of 10,000 pounds shipped from that county during the month.

More than half of the sugar consumed in the United States comes from foreign sources, reports the United States Department of Agriculture. Of the 5,632,599 short tons consumed during the year ending June 30, 1922, 1,348,190 tons were produced in the United States. Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines supplied 1,334,553 tons and most of the re-

mainder came from Cuba.

Arkansas farmers and their families are carrying on over 39,000 demonstrations in improved farm and farm-home practices, in co-operation with extension workers, according to a report received by the United States Department of Agriculture. These include demonstrations in horticulture, soil improvement, cooperative marketing, live-stock improvement, field crops, food production, conservation and preparation, textiles, and clothing. In addition to the work being done by adult farmers and farm women, nearly 10,000 farm boys and girls are enrolled in demonstration work with corn, pigs, calves, poultry, gardening, canning, sewing and bread making.

That the business of the Nation is turning more and more to highway transportation is indicated by statistics on motor-vehicle registration as July 1, compiled by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. Registration of passenger cars, taxis, busses and motor trucks totaled 10,520,471 on this date an increase of 157,176, which is a healthy growth, as the first half of the year is the off season for registration of new vehicles.

The surprising fact, however, is that of the 157,174 increase in registration; motor trucks constituted 116,701, against 35,030 passenger cars and 5,443 taxis and busses. This means an increase of over 16 per cent of the number of motor trucks at the beginning of the year. Figures are not available to show what part of the increase of 5,443, or nearly 11 per cent, in the taxi and bus registration is due to the increase in the number of busses traversing rural and suburban routes, but it is very probable that a considerable part of the increase is due to the development of this new form of transportation.

It has been frequently said that the traffic is always ready and waiting when good roads are built, and that the commercial vehicle as a class is more handicapped by lack of good roads than the pleasure vehicle. The increase in the registration of commercial vehicles, coupled with the present activity in highway construction, seems to bear out this statement in the opinion of the department officials.

The table of statistics issued by the bureau shows a registration of 9,467,874 private cars, 55,990 taxis and busses, and 1,096,605 motor trucks, making a total of 10,620,471. Motor cycles are not included, there being 149,924 against 196,321 at the beginning of the year.

EXTENSION ROAD NO. 199

To Whom It May Concern:

A consent petition, as follows:

Commencing at the northeast corner of section 35, township 15, range 33, running thence west on the section line between section 35 and 26, township 15, range 33 to the north west corner of said section 35 thence south along the west-section line of section 35 to the southwest corner of section 35, said road to be a section line road and to be 66 feet wide, to-wit 33 feet on each side of said section line. Anyone having objections thereto or claims for damages by reason of the establishing of the above des-

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Witness my hand and official seal this 28th day of September 1922.

A. S. ALLEN,
County Clerk.

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution and the laws of the state of Nebraska, I, A. S. Allen, county clerk of Lincoln county, state of Nebraska, do hereby direct and proclaim that a general election be held in the several vol-

ing places within the county of Lincoln, the state of Nebraska, on Tuesday, the seventh day of November, 1922, during the hours designated by law, for the following purpose, to-wit:

For the election of one United States Senator.
For the election of one Judge of the Supreme court for the sixth Supreme Court Judicial District, as provided by the constitution of the State of Nebraska.
For the election of one Congressman from the Sixth Congressional District in the state of Nebraska.
Also for the election of one Congressman in and for the Sixth Congressional District to fill vacancy

and Buildings.

One Railway Commissioner
One Superintendent of Public Instruction.

For the election of one State Senator from the thirteenth Senatorial District, as apportioned by the Session Laws of 1921.

For the election of one State Representative from the Eighty-ninth representative district, as apportioned by the Session Laws of 1921.

For the election of one State representative from the Ninetieth representative district, as apportioned by the session laws of 1921.

At the same time and place of holding the said election there will be submitted for adoption or rejection under the referendum, as provided by the constitution House Roll No. 62, House Roll No. 193, House Roll No. 617, and Senate File No. 305, said bills having been passed by the Fortieth Regular Session of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska

for 1921.

Also the following county officers, to-wit:

One County Clerk.
One Register of Deeds.
One County Treasurer.
One County Sheriff.
One County Attorney.
One County Surveyor.
One County Commissioner, Second District.
One County Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Also following Precinct officers:
One Precinct Assessor.
One Justice of Peace for each precinct.

Polls open from 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m.

One Road Overseer for each road District.

Given under my hand and the seal of Lincoln county, state of Nebraska, this 29th day of Sept. A. D., 1922.

A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

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